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5/15/2015

Dear Mr. Habersack,

The BLM Tuscarora Field Office has completed the North Elko and Eureka Pipeline Project Imazapic Treatment Determination of NEPA Adequacy (DNA) DOI-BLM-NV-E020-2015-0021-DNA, with a Proposed Action of using the active ingredient Imazapic singly or as a tank mix with glyphosate for ground and/or aerial application within and adjacent to the North Elko Pipeline Project (NEPP) and the Eureka Pipeline Project (EPP) right-of-ways. The effects to the human environment were adequately analyzed in the existing NEPA documents and there are no predicted effects on the human environment that are considered to be highly uncertain or involve unique or unknown risks.

Enclosed is the Decision Record for the North Elko and Eureka Pipeline Project Imazapic Treatment DNA. The DNA is available online at the following website:
<http://on.doi.gov/1cy6fFG>.

A Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) has not been issued for DOI-BLM-NV-E020-2015-0021-DNA because FONSI were issued for the selected actions analyzed in each of the EAs the DNA references. It was concluded in the FONSI issued for the 2010 Elko District Vegetation Maintenance Project EA and the 2009 Tuscarora Sagebrush Habitat Restoration Initiative EA that the selected management actions analyzed in each EA will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment. Therefore, preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is not required prior to my issuance of the decision.

If you have any questions related to this subject matter or are unable to access the documents online, please contact Sam Cisney, Natural Resource Specialist (Weeds), at (775) 753-0372 or scisney@blm.gov.

Sincerely,

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